

Hythe. Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> 1884

Dear Clark.

I wrote to your sister last week begging her to appoint some day this week to meet me in Launceston, from whence I offered to convey her & Master Sigismund in my gig hither - We expected an answer this post but none has arrived and I can only repeat that I am waiting her command - We moved into the new house last Thursday and are beginning to get matters somewhat comfortable; but as none of the doors will shut it is as difficult as ever to get by oneself. The children are in one respect like the frogs of Egypt - they find their way into every place.

Aunt can have a bed room to herself and other matters can be



better managed than when you were  
here last.

The old house as a house is no  
more. The fragments are lying  
in the back yard ready where  
opportunity offers to be converted  
into out-buildings.

I send back William with many  
thanks for your kindness in  
lending him so long. He has  
finished the upper part of the  
house; and I think tolerably  
well. If however, I can get a  
thorough good painter to finish  
the lower at a reasonable charge,  
I shall not again trouble you  
for the loan of ~~William~~ him.

You had better forward  
Pigson without delay to return  
the Captain's house as my hay  
is getting very short and he  
is not doing any work here.



I was sorry to hear of the loss of the  
Duke of Kent & also of Linclain's  
vessel. Perhaps you can furnish  
me with particulars of the former.  
If the damaged sugar is put for  
assigned accounts and sells near  
the market have the goodness to  
buy some for me.

I shall pay the balance  
due to you into the Bank  
when I go to London and if  
you want more money  
you must demand it  
at three months.

We are all tolerably well excepting  
little Ann who is very ailing  
and fretful - Ann sends her love  
to you and Aunt and the  
children would say something  
civil if they were not asleep.  
Tell Miss we are impatiently  
expecting her.

Believe me  
Yours faithfully  
W. Weston.